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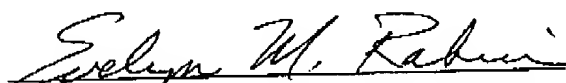
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Petition for Extension of Time

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to file a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). A Notice of Appeal was filed December 9, 2003. Please extend the period for response to April 9, 2004 and charge deposit account 50-2134 the \$420.00 fee for said extension. Please charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper or at any time during the prosecution of the instant application or credit any overpayment to deposit account 50-2134.

Respectfully Submitted,


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